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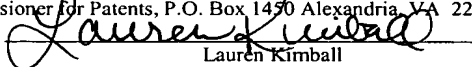
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1. Japanese Publication No. 63-167142 - A concise explanation of this publication is given on page 1 of the specification. U.S. Patent No. 4,779,585 is the English equivalent of this publication.
2. Japanese Publication No. 2548050 - A concise explanation of this publication is given on page 1 of the specification.
3. Japanese Publication No. 7-180743 - A computerized English translation of the Japanese publication is included herewith.
4. Japanese Publication No. 8-145113 - A computerized English translation of the Japanese publication is included herewith.

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